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In re Application of: SAMARASOORIYA, Vajira, N., S.  
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**AMENDMENT A**

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In response to the Office Action dated May 12, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 4 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 7 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

**An Appendix** including drawing figures is attached beginning on page 11 of this paper.